the applicant belongs to any particular taluk. So there will be no difficulty in paying the amounts to Talappalli or Chittur taluks, if there are applications.

Mr. P. Krishna Menon.—Are we to understand that all the applications have been sanctioned in regard to Talappalli and Chittur taluks?

Mr. U. Kandar Menon.—All applications which could be sanctioned according to the rules must have been sanctioned. I cannot say that no application has been rejected.

Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will you please look into the matter and see that there is no disproportion in the matter of distribution of these loans? The Government will also see that the whole amount is distributed according to the taluks and then divide the amount among the applicants.

Mr. U. Kandar Menon.—Government will consider that.

Kunnamkulam—Tiruthikkad road—provision for.

48. **Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—With reference to question No. 586 answered on the 31st March 1933, will the Government be pleased to inform—

(a) what amount has already been spent;

(b) whether the whole amount will be utilised before the end of the current year; and if not

(c) what is the reason for allowing to lapse a part of the amount provided in the budget for the second time?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) No amount has till now been spent.

(b) It may be possible to spend the major portion of the allotment this year.

(c) Delay in land acquisition.

Aqueduct—restoring of.

49. **Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—Will the Government be pleased to state with reference to the reply to question No. 598, dated the 31st March 1933:—

(a) whether the damaged aqueduct has been restored to the condition in which it was soon after its construction; and if not

(b) what is the reason for not doing so;

(c) whether it is the policy of the department not to restore to its original condition works which have been damaged by floods;

(d) why did the Government construct the aqueduct as a permanent work, if temporary arrangements would have been sufficient;

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